over the Burlington, who would win?"

"I don't. know "Was not the Burlington deal precipitated because somebody else was after it?" "I don't know. If you ask my personal

opinion I might say 'yes.' THE NORTHERN PACIFC DEAL. Mr. Morgan then told how he heard that the Northern control was sought by other roads. "I was at Aix les Baines." he said, "and I heard that the Union Pacific had acquired the majority. I doubted it because I thought I could depend upon inter- and said. 'What means all this?' I said, 'I ests that were associated with us as holders of the Northern Pacific common to hang on to their holdings. However, the news came to me so strong that I thought I had better make safe, and so, between the way they treated me in the Northern May 2 and May 7 we went into the mar- Pacific transaction," said Mr. Morgan. ket and bought \$15,000,000 worth of the stock. I figured the matter up and knew that such an amount would be sure to have the ma-

fority of the common stock." "Why were you so anxious to have a maority interest in the Northern Pacific

"Well, our firm was fiscal agent of the road. I felt it as a moral obligation upon myself towards those who had intrusted me with their interest to see that the road did not pass into the hands of the Union Pacific interests. I felt in honor bound to prevent that as a matter of protection to the minority stockholders," said Mr. Mor-

"You bought your stock in the open mar-

"Yes, sir.

"You did not buy anything by private "Not a share."

"By 'we' you mean yourself and Mr.

"What did you learn when you came home about the dissensions as to who had control of the road?" 'We had control.

"Not at all. I mean J. P. Morgan & Co., and their associates. Mr. Morgan said Union Pacific men were put on the Burlington road board in car- his Northern Pacific stock in a company They could fight among themselves, however, if they wished to. Harmony was object in putting Mr. Gould on the board. cific stock in that organization was con- ent time. cerned, it was done to have a majority of the stock placed in safe hands, so as to inwe could not form any closer alliance, as that was against the law.

NORTHERN SECURITIES COMPANY. The idea of forming the Northern Securities Company was never thought of previous to May 9, Mr. Morgan said. Mr. Morgan further explained that after the experi- | tirement, however, was not practicable unence of May 9 he became more strongly imbued with the idea of forming a holding company for the Northern Pacific stock. "This is what occurred to me," Mr. Morgan continued. "I might die, or the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. might be dissolved, and in such an event I wanted the Northern Pacific stocks to be in safe hands, so that the stockholders might not suffer. I did not care who went into the company as long as

SHOWERS TO-DAY.

Fair and Colder To-Morrow, with Winds Shifting to West.

WASHINGTON, March 26 .- Forecast for

Thursday and Friday:

winds, shifting to west. For Illinois-Fair on Thursday, preceded by showers in northeast portion; colder in northern portion; Friday fair; brisk to high gouth winds, shifting to west.

For Ohio-Partly cloudy on Thursday; probably showers; warmer in extreme northwest portion; Friday fair and colder; increasing south winds.

Local Observations on Wednesday.

Bar, Ther. R.H. Wind. W'ther. Pre. 7 a. m. .29.98 70 East. Pt. cldy, 0.00 7 p. m. 29.92 60 77 S'east, Cloudy. Maximum temperature, 64; minimum tem-

Comparative statement of the mean temperature and total precipitation March 26: Temp. Pre. Departure

Departure since March 1 *72 -1.11 Departure since Jan. 1.......... -202 -6.38 W. T. BLYTHE,

*Plus. Section Director.

Wednesday's Temperatures.

Stations.	Min.	Max. 7 p
Abilene, Tex	48	74
Amarillo, Tex	34	62
Atlanta, Ga		58
Bismarck, N. D Buffalo, N. Y	36	48
Buffalo, N. Y	34	62
Cairo, Illinitettiere	************	64
Calgary, Alberta	20	48
Chattanooga, Tenn.	52	60
Chicago	38	62
Cincinnati, O	48	70
Cleveland, O	38	68
Cencordia, Kan	42	64
Davanport, Ia	48	66
Denver, Col	38	52
Des Moines, Ia	54	66
Dodge City, Kan	40	64
Dubuque, Ia	46	64
Duluth, Minn		40
El Paso, Tex	33	64
Fort Smith, Ark	60	74
Galveston, Tex	68	72
Grand Haven, Mich	34	62
Grand Junction, Col	28	48
Havre, Mont	24	52
Helena, Mont	34	42
Huron, S. D	40	58
Jacksonville, Fla	56	68
Kansas City, Mo	56	66
Lander, Wyo	30	44
Little Rock, Ark Louisville, Ky	66	76
Louisville, Ky		66
Marquette, Mich	36	50
Memphis, Tenn Modena, Utah	60	64
Modena, Utah	16	40
Montgomery, Ala		68
New Orleans, La	66	72
New York city	28	54
Nashville, Tenn. Norfolk, Va North Platte, Neb	54	64
Norfolk, Va	40	52
North Platte, Neb	36	54
Oklahoma, O. T Omaha, Neb	45	66
Omaha, Neb	50	60
Palostine Tex	100	80
Parkersburg, W. Vs Philadelphia, Pa Pittsburg, Pa	38	72
Philadelphia, Pa	38	60
Pittsburg, Pa	40	66
Pueblo, Co	38	60
Pueblo, Co	T32	36
Salt Lake City, Uta	h32	42
St. Louis, Mo	58	64
St. Paul, Minn	40	62
Santa Fe. N. M	29	44
Springfield, Ill	52	60
Springfield, Mo	54	68.
Vicksburg, Miss		74
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Washington, D. C 60 MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

NEW YORK, March 26,-Arrived: Oceanic and Georgic, from Liverpool; Oscar I (new), from Copenhagen. Sailed: Philadelphia, for Southampton; Bayerford, for Antwerp: Teutonia, for Liverpool. PLYMOUTH, March 26 .- Arrived: Pretoria, from New York, for Cherbourg and Hamburg, and proceeded.

prinz Wilhelm, from Bremen and Southampton, for New York. NAPLES, March 26 .- Arrived: Celtic, from New York, for Alexandria, etc., on a

CHERBOURG, March 26.-Sailed: Kron-

FAYAL, March 26 .- Passed: Lahn, from Genoa, Naples and Gibraltar, for New

ROTTERDAM. March 26 .- Arrived: Statndam, from New York, via Boulogne Sur

LIZARD, March 36.-Passed: St. Louis, from New York, for Southampton. QUEENSTOWN. March 26. - Arrived: Westernland, from Philadelphia.

LIVERPOOL, March 28.-Sailed: Rhynland, for Philadelphya. GLASGOW, March 26.-Arrived: Anchoria, from New York. BREMEN, March 26 .- Arrived: Dresden. from New York.

E. W. GROVE.

Northern Pacific and the Great Northern | the Northern Pacific Interests were safe, as they would be if I held a majority of the "Such a majority you could not have without Mr. Hill going in with you?" asked

> Mr. Hill did not have control, when he learned of the contest for Northacific control. "I was at Aix, and so was Mr. Kennedy," he said. "Mr. Kennedy was a large holder of Great Northern stock and also of Northern Pacific. He came to me at Aix in the beginning of May don't know.' He said, 'I will put my stock into your office.' Kennedy and I were 'mates.' We have been friends for forty years. I explained to him what I had done, and he said anything I suggested he would do. All my friends said the same. That is Mr. Morgan later testified that he had SENATOR HANNA WAS PRESENT made a large sale of Northern Pacific stock

How much was it " asked Mr. Lamb. "I can't remember," replied Mr. Morgan. "Somebody has testified here that it was \$10,000,000 worth," said Mr. Lamb. "Well, that may be."

"This seems rather a large transaction. Can you not tell us something about the negotiations," asked Mr. Lamb, "A \$10,000,000 purchase of stock does not Latter Is Said to Have Been Influenced seem a very big transaction to me. I have forgotten the details," said Mr. Morgan. "Hill and I worked together I'll work with him any time. If it had been different I'll tell you an instance of what I could have done. Say that I had bought the Union Pacific interests in the Great North-

ern, what would Hill have done then?

MR. MORGAN SMILED. Mr. Morgan smiled at this suggestion of what might have happened. He said he did not help organize the Northern Securities Company, but he approved the plan. He thought \$180 a share for Great Northern rather high and \$115 somewhat low for Northern Pacific. Witness wanted to put rying out a community of interest plan. that was so large that nobody could buy it. If it was deposited in a small company it what was desired. There was no special might be bought, He saw Mr. Harriman In further explantaion of the intention | talk about Union Pacific, nor about Northand purposes leading up to the Northern ern Pacific. The witness said J. P. Morgan Securities Company Mr. Morgan said that, & Co. hold between 125,000 and 130,000 shares

There was a friendly cross-examination of Mr. Morgan by Francis Lynde Stetson. To sure a continuation of the policy of the him the witness said the retirement of the bitration, and he presented the situation road and insure the "moral" control. No Northern Pacific preferred stock was not other control was contemplated, the financier declared. The project of the holding formation of the Northern Securities Comcompany for the Northern Pacific common | pany, nor was it part of a plan to allow the | erators should yield a point. stock had been contemplated for a consid- Northern Securities Company to obtain the "Mr. Morgan is in control of some of the erable time-as far back as two years ago. | majority of the Northern Pacific common. Mr. Morgan said Mr. Hill had approached Mr. Morgan denied there was any under- coal roads, and is in a position to decide him two years ago about organizing a hold- standing or agreement in the organization on the course of action to be taken without ing company which would throw the North- of the Northern Securities Company lookern Pacific and Great Northern Interests ing to the control of rates or traffic, or any work together," said the witness, "but that struct or contemplate the obstruction of the United Mine Workers of America, as | the question:

Mr. Morgan said it was never contemplated that the holders of Northern Pacific preferred could change that stock for common stock. The retirement of the preferred stock as early as possible was part of the reorganization plan of 1896. The retil after the common stock sold at par or above. The preferred stockholders, the witness thought, would have changed their shares for common stock if they had had the opportunity. This closed Mr. Morgan's testimony and the hearing went over until to-morrow, when George F. Baker will be

OBITUARY.

Lieutenant Commander Frederick R. Brainerd, U. S. N., Retired.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 26.-Lieutenant Commander Frederick R. Brainerd, U. S. N., retired, is dead at the California Hospital after an illness of a few days. He was graduated from the Naval Academy For Indiana-Showers on Thursday; Fri- at Annapolis in 1870, having been appointed day fair and colder; brisk to high south from Illinois. His sea service as a naval officer covered a period of fourteen years. Commander Brainerd served with credit in miral Sampson's squadron.

Other Deaths. MILWAUKEE, March 26 .- Rudolph Von Kaltenborn, well known in German veteran circles as well as among litterateurs, is and Mr. Duncan, the general secretary of dead at Merrill, Wis. Mr. Von Kaltenborn was an officer in the Hessian army and served Prussia through the Franco-Prus- that by to-morrow we will be able to report slan war. He was sixty-two years of age and was the son of the minister of war for | tion the principality of Chur-Hesse, having grown to manhood at the court of that ountry. He held the rank of lieutenant

in the army of his native land. WASHINGTON, March 26 .- Enrique Cantibanez, second secretary of the Mexican embassy, in this city, dropped dead on the street here this afternoon. He was a consumptive, and his health had been very poor of late. Senor Santibanez had been stationed at the embassy in Washington for about sixteen years, having come to this city with former Minister Senor Romero.

CHICAGO, March 26 .- Charles A. Dupee, senior member of the law firm of Dupee, Judah, Willard & Wolf, and one of the foremost lawyers of Chicago, died here at his home to-day after an illness extending over several months. Mr. Dupee was a native of West Brookfield, Mass. He was seventy-seven years old.

ARDMORE, I. T., March 26.-Jefferson Carter, aged sixty years, a pioneer Cherokee Indian and a prominent Mason, is dead here. Carter, in his early years was prominently identified with the Cherokee tribal

NORWALK, O., March 26 .- Thomas Mahan, ex-postal clerk and prominent Democratic politician, was found on the road this morning dead with a broken neck. It 48 is supposed that he fell from an attack of TOLEDO, O., March 26.-Capt.

O'Connor, one of the best known captains along the lakes, died suddenly to-day of tooth. CHICAGO, March 26 .- John E. Fitzpat-

rick, ex-inspector of police and ex-chief of detectives, died to-night from shock following a surgical operation.

MRS. MILLER WILL RECOVER.

Body of Her Lynched Assailant Cut Down from the Telegraph Pole.

LA JUNTA, Col., March 26 .- Mrs. Henrietta Miller, the aged woman from Los Angeles, Cal., who was assaulted in the Santa Fe yards here on Monday night by a colored man, and whose condition was regarded as critical, is much improved to-day, and the physicians in attendance on her at the hospital say she will be able to con-The body of Wallace, the railway porter who was identified by Mrs. Miller as her assailant, and who was last night lynched dangled from the telegraph pole on which he was hanged until this morning, when it was taken down by order of the mayor. Coroner Green, of Rocky Ford, is summoning a jury to hold an inquest.

Wallace Had a Bad Record.

SEDALIA, Mo., March 26.-W. H. Wal-Henrietta Miller, aged white woman, was sent to the penitentiary for two years for a similar crime committed here nearly four | union claimed Besley violated the union enger station. Almost weekly for three or | and the suit is the result. four months there were assaults upon white girls returning home, from work at night. Bloodhounds were finally secured and Wallace was run down. The evidence against him was only circumstantial, but he consented to plead guilty if given a minimum sentence. He was discharged under the three-fourths rule, after serving eighteen

New Professor for Oberlin.

OBERLIN, O., March 23.-Dr. Julius Bewer, now assistant pastor of the Central Congregational Church of Providence, R. has been chosen to fill the chair of Old Testament language and literature of Oberlin Theological Seminary. Dr. Bewer was graduated from the Royal Gymnasium, Il because of the refusal of the mill agents Union Seminary, New York city, in 1868.

Arrival of A. G. Mosely.

NEW YORK, March 26 .- Alfred G. Mosely, C. M. G., arrived from England to-day on the Oceanic. He visited this country before and was so impressed by the American lets, the celebrated Cold and Grip Cure. 25c. studying conditions in both these lines.

Mr. Morgan here returned to the time OPERATORS WILL MEET ANTHRA-CITE MINERS HALF WAY.

> Meeting of the Civic Federation Conciliators and Representatives of Diggers Held Yesterday.

AND LATER VISITED THE OFFICE OF J. P. MORGAN & CO.

by Mr. Hanna to Make Concessions to the Men.

NEW YORK, March 26.-Regarding the meeting of the coal miners' representatives and the conciliation committee of the Civic Federation, held to-day, the Herald will say

"There is no likelihood of a strike in the anthracite coal district this year. The miners have formulated their demands and the operators probably will meet them half way. The announcement was made last Hanna's conference with J. Pierpont Moron his return from Europe, but they did not gan, and the threatened trouble will be averted mainly through the efforts of the two men who were the chief factors in setas far as the placing of the Northern Pa- of Northern Securities stock at the pres- tling the big strike in the presidential campaign of 1900. Senator Hanna is one of the most earnest advocates of the cause of arfrom his viewpoint with such force that Mr. Morgan was convinced that the op-

> commerce. He said that all parties to the the union is called, through his signing of contracts with the individuals employed, especially if the present wage scale can be maintained for another year. He does not believe that the union is particularly strong with the miners. He will agree to terms that he deems reasonable, and Senator Hanna was jubilant when he left him, being convinced that the strike would be

Senator M. A. Hanna, Oscar Straus, Bishop H. C. Potter. Franklin MacVeagh, Lewis Nixon, Charles A. Moore, Marcus M. Marks, William H. Pfahler, Ralph M. Easley, F. P. Sargeant and James Duncan acted for the Civic Federation at to-day's conference, and the mine workers were represented by John Mitchell, president of the national organization, Thomas Nicholls, John Fahey and Thomas Duffy, district presidents of the mine workers and participants in the Shamokin convention which formulated the demands of the men. The and was behind closed doors.

The conference, which met at 10:30 a. m., djourned at 1 p. m. and Senator Hanna made the following statement: "Although a half I really haven't much to say. We | have talked with the representatives of the miners and got at merely what their desires are. We don't anticipate trouble, and the best of spirit was manifested here to-day. So as to get further information and if A Minister Tells of His Queer Experi- Mr. Overman \$1,200 for her, which was acthe Spanish-American war attached to Ad- possible get into communication with the other side-the operators-a subcommittee of three was appointed, which will report back to the industrial department of the National Civic Federation to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock. The committee is composed of myself, former Minister Straus the Granite Cutters' National Union. We will discuss things this afternoon and hope progress from the other side of the ques-

Senator Hanna spent some time this afternoon at the office of J. P. Morgan & Co., where he conferred with Mr. Morgan, the latter's partner, George W. Perkins, and Messrs. Widener and Griscom, of Philalelphia. On leaving the senator declined to say whether or not he had discussed the labor situation in the mining regions.

Union Labels Forged. NEW YORK, March 26 .- Daniel Harris, a representative of the New York branch of the Cigar Makers' International Union of America, and James Wood, of Cincinnati, vice president of the organization, to-night informed the police that some men in this city were selling forged union cigar box labels. Detectives were sent out and arrested two men whom they say went together to a cigar factory and tried to sell to the proprietor 20,000 labels for \$800. They gave their names as Albert Goldman, a cigar maker, and David Bartleson, a poultry dealer. Both men were locked up after being charged with forgery in the second labels are printed.

Employes Restrained. John tion has been signed by Judge Hanickle, of the Corporation Court, restraining blood poisoning following the pulling of a eighteen employes and other persons from interfering in any manner with the Norfolk Railway and Light Company. The injunction restrains the defendants from attacking the employes in any manner whatsoever, and from committing any act to injure the cars, railroad or other property of the company. The two committees from the labor unions with authority to settle the strike called on the street-railway officials to-day and asked for concessions. These were refused, the company declining to treat with the men as a body.

Iowa Miners May Strike. DES MOINES, Ia., March 26.-Unless the unforescen transpires every miner in Iowa will walk out at midnight March 31 and a strike will be instituted, the consequences of which cannot be foretold. At the joint conference of the miners and operators to-day the issues were squarely drawn and tinue her journey to Denver in a few days. the operators formally announced they would not agree to employ shot firers nor would they agree to the uniform day wage scale demanded. President Reese in behalf of the mine workers asked the operators if they would arbitrate their differences. The operators refused.

Union Sued for \$5,000.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., March 26 .- L. C. Besley, a brick-kiln owner, has filed a suit lace, the negro, who was lynched at La in the District Court against the Brick-Junta, Col., last night for assaulting Mrs. | makers' Union for \$5,000 damages for threatening to boycott his business. He also asks for an injunction restraining the union from declaring the boycott. The years ago. Wallace was employed as jan- rules and fined him \$50, which he refused to itor at the Missourl, Kansas & Texas pass- | pay. The union then threatened a boycott

Union of Chorus Girls.

CINCINNATI, O., March 26.-President Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, to-day listened to Miss Geralia Malone, of San Francisco, Miss Ruby months, and was next heard of in Denver. Payne, of New York, and Miss Sallie Fisher, of Salt Lake City, who made application for a union of chorus girls.

Textile Workers to Strike.

LOWELL, Mass., March 26.-The textile council this morning voted to order a strike in the cotton mills of this city on March Dusseldorf, Germany, in 1895 and from to grant a 10 per cent, increase in wages in conformity to the wage increase at Fall River. The strike will directly affect about 20,000 operatives.

Foreign Honor for Schurman.

ITHACA, N. Y., March 26 .- It was given out here to-day that the University of Edplan of education and labor that, on re- inburgh has resolved to confer the honor turning to England, he organized two com- ary degree of doctor of laws upon Presi-Ambassador Choate. President Schurman | box. 25c.

salls on the Campania Saturday next and will receive the degree at the Edinburgh

TRIED TO REFORM HER.

Two Men Acquitted of the Murder of a Dissipated Woman.

CHICAGO, March 26 .- Edward F. and William Koeller, who have been on trial for the murder of the former's wife, were acquitted by a jury in Judge Dunne's court to-day. Mrs. Koeller's body was found in bed in a horribly mutilated condition. Damaging testimony of a circumstantial nature was given by Edward Koeller's children. What is believed to have weighed most with the jury, however, was the testimony of Mary Lemont, the dead woman's mother. She said that her son-in-law, a policeman had been a patient and dutiful husband and father through ave years, during which his wife had been addicted to drink. She told numerous instances of how Koeller had neglected and hungry, while their mother lay in a stupor from drink. With the greatest patience, she said, Koeller took up the tempt to reform his wife. The jury was out only half an hour.

SUICIDE, EXPLOSION, FIRE.

Match Cause Trouble. SAVANNAH, Ga., March 26 .- An explosion of gas in the Screven Hotel to-night wrecked two rooms of that building, and the firemen who responded to the alarm of fire discovered in one of the ruined rooms the body of a man, which letters showed to be that of W. P. Hankinson, of Ellenton, S. C. A porter of the hotel detected playing, and in her place Miss Grace Philgas escaping from Hankinson's room, and, climbing on a table and reaching the transom above the door, pushed it open. The night on the best authority after Senator | room was dark inside, and the porter struck | a match. Instantly there was an explosion, and the room and one adjoining was wrecked. The dead body of Hankinson was afterward found lying on one of the beds n the room. The tip of the gas burner was unscrewed, and it is supposed that after taking morphine Hankinson had turned the gas on. Letters found on his body explained that he was despondent and determined to die.

PRINCETON DEBATERS WON.

Defeated Harvard on the New York

together. "I told Mr. Hill that we could agreement that in any manner would ob- see no particular objection to recognizing | Harvard to-night in Sanders's Theater on

ly enforce the excise laws in New York The decision of the judges was unanimous and they were out only two minutes. The

Princeton speakers, who had the affirmative, were A. J. Barron, E. A. Blair and R. W. Anthony. The Harvard team consisted of P. H. Reed, I. Grossman and J. K. Clark. This is Princeton's first victory in eight years of debating with Harvard.

WEALTH NOT RESPECTED.

W. K. Vanderbilt Arrested in France and Kept in Station House a Night. PARIS, March 26.-It is announced here from Nice that while W. K. Vanderbilt,

jr., and D. W. Bishop were passing on an meeting was held at Church Mission House | automobile last night through the village of Le Luc, on their way to Nice, they were arrested for fast traveling and for not showing lights on their machine. Mr. Vanderbilt and Mr. Bishop were kept we have been together for two hours and in the station house until this morning, when they were released.

PAYING THE PREACHER.

ences at Weddings. New York Commercial Advertiser. "One of the most trying moments about

getting married, so far as the man is concerned, is when he thinks it time to remunerate the minister officiating. Almost invariably there seems a fear of giving offense, and the result is that ridiculous situbest man to attend to the customary remuneration, but many who come to be married do not seem to know this. "I once had a case where, in the midst of the ceremony, when I happened to extend-

my hand toward the groom to becken to have the ring ready, the man misunderstood the motion and slipped a \$10 gold piece into my hand. Coming unexpectedly as it did, I dropped the money on the marble floor and with a ring and clatter that sounded all over the church, followed by a metallic and prolonged roll that left nothing to doubt, the com rolled into the aisle. was too closely identified with that accident not to feel embarrassed. I became more and more confused, while a titter ran through the church which did not improve condition of mind-whatever effect it had on the responsible miscreant.

"Another funny situation came one even-

ing after a small wedding, when the elated

bridegroom forgot all about the fee for the services. He was at the church door, where I had accompanied the party to see them off, when he suddenly remembered that he had not thanked me. His thanks were profuse and all that could be desired. Again and again he wrung my hand, until the bride whispered something in his ear. At degree. The headquarters of the Interna- once a look of consternation came over his tional Union is in Chicago, and there the face. He put his hand in his pocket and drew out an envelope. He handed it to me, cap, which will be held in this city next explaining, amid apologies, that he had for- week. Manager Elmer E. Shaner stated togotten all about the 'darned money,' and NORFOLK, Va., March 26.-An injunc- have guessed why I followed him all the entries to reach 475. He received the list Meyers 159 111 172 Martin 134 165 way to the door. It was all hard on me, but it was just the result of a man's pent- | the Interstate Association, to-day. Among up feeling, and I stood it all patiently until | the celebrities to arrive to-day were Chas. some one less affected by the situation | Budd, of Des Moines, Ia., and W. R. Croshappily turned the tide by a timely joke. a marriage ceremony, I think a certain \$5 J. A. R. Elliott and Fred Gilbert for the gold piece is the most sacred-gold, by the absolute possession of the Sportsman's Reway, is almost the invariable specie in view cup, which was scheduled for Friday which grooms fee the clergymen. Of a cold of this week, will be postponed because night about ten years ago-I lived then in the management of the Grand American Boston-my door bell rang and a young handicap has made no arrangement for it. man and woman stood outside. The man explained first of all that he had no money. Then he said that he was a sailor about to leave port; that he wanted to marry the young woman if he could only find some one to perform the ceremony for nothing. He was a good-looking young man and she pretty, buxom girl of twenty years old. Both were sincere about their request, and looked as if they would be so unutterably miserable each without the other that,

after satisfying myself that all was right, I married them. for all the world like a tug consorting a clipper. At the door, however, he halted suddenly and rummaged in his pockets. "'Sue,' he said, 'I've got a dollar, but I guess we'd better give it to the gentleman for "doin" us up." ' Sue said she thought so, too. I told them my charge was never less that \$2, and that when next he got into port would be time enough 'I had quite forgotten about the strange young people when, from Sydney, Australia. came a package addressed to me. It con-

tained an American \$5 gold piece. There was also a letter recalling the marriage and its particulars and a photograph of the husband and wife, both looking splendid and with them two babies. The sailor had become a prosperous stevedore out in that faraway place, and when once again I heard of him he was accumulating a for-These are just a few instances of what

we meet professionally, but, I assure you, the Sydney man, with his package and his letter and his photograph, is the man I'll never forget.'

Pleasant "Personal."

Washington (Ia.) Journal. Mrs. J. L. Brookhart departed this morning for Des Moines to visit for a few days with her two brothers who live in that city. After two days of worse than solitary confinement, since she had no company except her husband, she appreciates a little free-

Heavy Rainfall.

During a cloudburst in Nuuanu, Hawailan Islands, 5.15 inches of rain fell in the hour between 11 and 12 o'clock a m. This the heaviest downfall ever recorded. Nuuanu streams rose ten to twelve feet in a very short time. There was a good deal of damage to the places along the bank of the stream. During the storm, which of rain fell.

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BASKETBALL GAME TOO STRENUOUS FOR NORA LACEY.

Shortridge High School Team Defeated by German House Players--Local Sporting Affairs.

For the first time this year the girls' basketball team of the Shortridge High School was defeated last night at the German House. Their opponents, the German House team, won by a score of 18 to 16, It was an exciting game. One of the players returned to his home to find his children on the Shortridge five, Nora Lacey, was carried along the floor for about five yards with Miss Webber on top of her. When the household labors and never ceased to at- two girls stopped in their awkward flight and Miss Webber rose it was found that Miss Lacey had fainted. She was lying prostrate on the floor, pale and apparently lifeless, and when the other players noticed | George Castle, of Chicago, being the buyer. that she did not respond to the whistle they Despondent Man, Hotel Porter and a became frightened and ran to her. Fear overcame the other players, and for a short while it was thought the game would be postponed. Miss Lacey was carried off | ished in to-day's card at Bennings. Four the floor to one of the ante-rooms, where doctor, who was present, applied stimulants, and she regained consciousness and was able to walk out to the auditorium. She was too weak, however, to continue

putt was substituted. The High School girls were much smaller than their opponents, who have the advantage of calisthenic lessons twice a week. The German House girls were slower in PROSPECTS AND DEWEYS ADD SIX their system of playing, yet their luck in throwing goals was considered marvelous. The team work of the High School five was said to be the best ever played by that team, yet when any of the girls tried for a field goal or even a foul goal it appeared Graff Improves His Lead in the Averthat her eyes had become hazy and the goal basket would appear much further than it really was. The ball was often thrown with great vigor against the partition and would rebound and fall into the hands of the opponents, who would take advantage of the misthrow and work the ball to their own end and then easily gain a goal. Rachel Baker played a hard game for the High School girls, making three field goals. reference to any other coal magnates. He | ton won the eighth annual debate against | Gladys Nehrbas, captain of the Shortridge | first division making a score of 936 in the team, worked hard with her team, yet it seemed that the luck of the German House players was too much for the science of

S. H. S. Positions. Ger. House. Gladys Nehrbas . Forward ... Miss Webber Rachel Baker Forward Eva Kepler Ethel Dorsey Center Miss Hardin Nora Lacey and

Brief History of Alma K.

Harry Overman, who was the last owner of Alma K., the beautiful roadster formerly seen and admired on Indianapolis streets, told a story while on a visit in Indianapolis this week of how the horse died in Chicago a few days ago just as a sale was to be consummated whereby Actor Robert Mantell was to become her owner. The forse was owned several years ago by an Indianapolis man, who sold her to George Koehne. The latter sold her to Otis Hahn. Next the State Bank of Indiana secured possession of the horse, and Hiram Miller, president of the bank, took the animal to his farm. It was there that Mr. Overman purchased Alma K. for \$400 and shipped her to Chicago.

The pretty stepper was greatly admired in Chicago, and Mr. Overman refused many offers to sell her. Mr. Mantell saw the horse and liked her so well that he offered cepted. After the proposition was made the horse was taken to another stable in Chicago, where she died a few days ago while still in posession of Mr. Overman.

German House Team Defeated.

The Y. M. I. basketball ball team, in their hall last night, defeated the German House ations arise. It is one of the duties of the team by a score of 30 to 16. The players

Y. M. I .- Fox, center; M. Peele, guard;

T. Brady, guard; R. Peele, forward; J. Sul-

livan, forward. German House-Tilley, center; McCloud, guard; Culverhead, guard; Herman, forward; Kipp, forward. Referee, Emerich; scorer, L. Cummings. Basketball Tuesday Night.

The second basketball team of the Y. M. C. A. will play the Y. M. C. A. team of

Anderson here next Tuesday night. Prior

to the game the first Y. M. C. A. team will

play a practice game with the team from

the German House. ONE MATCH POSTPONED. Sportsman's Review Cup Will Not Be

Shot for This Week. KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 26 .- According to a telegram received from New York to-night there are now 453 wing shots on the entry list of the Grand American handithat he was very stupid, else he could night that he expects the grand total of of entries from Secretary E. L. Banks, of by, of O'Fallon, Ill. Crosby announced to-"Of all the fees I ever got for performing day that his three-cornered match with The match will take place probably on Monday. April 7. The one-hundred-bird race between Elliott and Crosby for the cast iron medal will take place according to schedule

next Saturday. Clearwater Is Pool Champion.

NEW YORK, March 26 .- W. H. Clearwater, of Elwood, Pa., was successful tonight in the Brooklyn pool tournament. He defeated Charles Weston, of Cheyenne, "The groom led his bride toward the door | Wyo., in playing off the tie for the professional pool championship. The game was a close one, the score being 125 to 106. The winner's high continuous run was twentyseven and his scratches six, while Weston's high run was fourteen, and he had one scratch.

MILITARY TOURNAMENT.

Secretary of War Root the Reviewing Officer Last Night.

NEW YORK, March 26.-Secretary of

War Root was the reviewing officer at the military athletic tournament to-night. With the secretary were General Brooks, General McMahon, General Sheridan, Colonel Johnson, Colonel Carter and Major Zazaic, all of the regular service. The novelties for the night were an exhibition by the First Signal Corps, N. G. S. N. Y., of tower building and signaling from tower and from balloon, and drill, wall scaling and battle exercises by the coast artillery. The coast artillery drill was a very popular feature and the best of it was the wall scaling. The structure which was built in view of the audience by the men themselves was twelve feet high and the troops scaled

it with remarkable agility. Then followed a troop drill by the Second Cavalry and the popular Forty-eighth Highlanders' exhibition drill.

RUNNING RACES.

Great Day for Capt. Rice at Little Rock-The Day's Winners.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 26.-Capt. R. R. Rice, the Arkansas horseman, had a lasted about twelve hours, 12 71-100 inches great afternoon at Clinton Park. Three of Toronto for this season, but it is underhis horses won. Fred Hessig and Curd Gillock carried the Rice colors to victory in the first and second races, respectively, and Wax-Taper scored for the Arkansas turfthe rich Montgomery handicap to be run on box.

at Memphis next Monday. El Caney won his race under all kinds of wraps. He was much the best of an inferior field. Winners and odds: Fred Hessig, 6 to Curd Gillock, 15 to 1; Hainault, 7 to 5; Wax Taper, 4 to 5; El Caney, 8 to 5; Reducer,

Golden Gate Handicap.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 26.-Frangible, with Willie Knapp in the saddle, again upset calculations at Oakland to-day by winning the Golden Gate handleap from Watercure, the 7 to 10 favorite. The event was at a mile and three-eighths, and although he was conceding much weight all the wise money went in on the Morris horse. Frangible led most of the way, and well ridden won in a drive from Watercure, on whom the heavy impost told. The track was not to his liking, it being somewhat heavy. Winners and odds: Royalty, 3 to 1; Colonial Girl. 5 to 1; Commissioner Foster, 7 to 2; Frangible, 8 to 1; Dr. Bernays, 7 to 5; Hilee, 5 to 1.

May Allen Sold for \$2,800.

CHICAGO, March 26 .- At the horse sale at the Coliseum to-day George H. Ketcham, of Toledo, O., owner of Cresceus, paid \$6,250 for the trotter Roy M. (2:141/2 over a halfmile track). It is understood the horse will be sent to England. May Allen (2:091/4) was purchased by C. W. Marks, of Chicago, for \$2,800. Henry L. (2:15) brought \$2,400, Favorites Win at Bennings.

favorites-Alan, All Saints, Caithness and

WASHINGTON, March 26 .- Medium sized

fields and an ordinary class of horses fin-

Lou Rey-won. While running in the fifth

Winners and odds: Obliged, 2 to 1; Alan,

6 to 5; All Saints, even; Elizabeth Moan, 7

race. Triton broke his leg and was killed.

to 1; Caithness, 3 to 5; Lou Rey, 3 to 5.

age List-Fox Rolled a High Total-Individual Scores.

TO THEIR VICTORIES.

The Tish-i-Mingoes won four of the games with the Compeers last night, the second game. The Ramblers won four from the Hoo-Hoos, Graff increasing his "Resolved, That Mayor Low should strict- the schoolgirls. The line-up was as follows: lead on first place in the averages with a score of 214. The Prospects took six from the Melrose team, Fox making a score of 245 for the Prospects. The Deweys had but little opposition in their games with Grace Philputt.. Guard...... Miss Kane the Electrics, and won six. The scores fol-

COMPEERS VS. TISH-I-MINGOES. (Turner Alleys.) -First Division .-

Compeers. Tish-i-mingoes. Gantner ... 147 168 235 Pritchett ... 157 134 Lambert ... 181 159 166 Kimmel ... Hendricks ... 165 214 156 Gielow 162 223 18 Urlewicz ...132 147 174 Ray Rassfeld ...120 114 159 Buchanan .. 191 194 172 Totals745 802 890 | Totals861 936 -Second Division .-Gels134 220 170 Taylor153 182 1 Stewart182 187 178 Sielken179 153 1 Han ... 125 190 147 Talbert 134 170 1 Grunner181 169 159 Parvin165 Totals 708 778 836 | Totals 801 878 7 RAMBLERS VS. HOO-HOOS.

(Washington Alleys.) -First Division .-Hoo-Hoos. Graff214 168 183 Kline181 162 Maisoll134 183 140 Kleiss182 190 Keeter168 191 156 C. Rinne....176 128 Klump188 173 164 C. Resner...142 154 1 Resner160 210 191 H. Rinne....204 148 19 Totals 864 925 834 Totals 885 782 80 -Second Division .-Nieman149 139 188 | Brinkmeyer 183 160 16190 110 182 Budd146 156 121 y ...169 153 170 Holtz145 163 163 .148 146 203 Meyer145 160 14 Heitkam ...170 119 143 Resner171 158 129 Totals 826 657 892 Totals 790 797 728 PROSPECTS VS. MELROSE.

(Marion Alleys.) -First Division .-Melrose. Prospects C'hman. 133 165 148 Enslow ... Kerr 193 151 191 G. H'fm'y'r.145 146 E. C. Hell'r.167 207 199 Hoskinson ... 155 160 Fox245 179 171 Willoughby Allen126 170 191 A. H'fm'y'r.192 132864 872 900 | Totals791 776 807 -Second Division .-E. Hell'r.135 155 132 | Carter 146 103 136 H. C'hman.. 201 148 166 Catterhenry 182 145 Cost178 179 167 Byers120 121 Hutchinson 174 204 210 Hale135 144 Totals820 891 812 Totals676 666 75

ELECTRICS VS. DEWEYS. (City Club Alleys.) -First Division .--

Deweys. Vincent146 115 145 Romer Adams179 150 141 B. Brinkman Peterson ...173 167 171 Linagar Nolting173 131 125 Willworth .. 165 146 Totals811 667 706 Totals875 803 78 -Second Division .-Hermann .. 185 145 141 | Vinson 153 172 159 Ketcham ...129 144 122 Wiese104 128 134 Bannworth 159 168 169 Kepner119 177 152 ... 112 C. Boyle,....147 147 Totals 632 568 716 Totals 657 789 789

ALMOST KNOCKED OUT.

Harry Harris Floored by Danny Dougherty in Fifth Round. PHILADELPHIA, March 26.-Harry Harris, of Chicago, was almost knocked out in the fifth round by Danny Dougherty, of huge sums having been asked-and giventhis city, to-night at the Penn Athletic for accommodation have been cabled over Club. In that round Dougherty landed hard several times, and the Chicago fighter went down and took the count. The latter pulled himself together, however, and stood

his man off well in the sixth round. George Gardner to Fight Sharkey. BOSTON, March 26.-George Gardner, of Lowell, Mass., was signed by William A. Pierce, his manager, to-day to fight Tom

place of Peter Maher. Fight Forbidden.

DENVER, Col., March 26.-The Police Board to-day instructed the chief of police to prevent the fight between Jack McClelland and Kid Broad, scheduled to take place at the Coliseum Club next Friday

CLASH OF DATES.

night.

National League Schedule Will Con-

flict with American Games. NEW YORK, March 26.-It is reported that former President Young, of the National Baseball League, is here with the League schedule in his possession. It is understood the schedule calls for opening games on April 17 at Boston, New York, Cincinnati and St. Louis, the visiting teams being Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Chicago and Pittsburg, respectively.

Young has avoided clashing of dates with the American League teams as much as possible. Nevertheless, the draft is said o show the two Boston clubs clashing on ourteen dates, Chicago on twelve, Philadelphia seventeen and St. Louis ten.

Barrow May Manage "Giants." TORONTO, Ont., March 26 .- Manager Ed

Barrow, of the Toronto baseball team, has received a letter from an official of the New York Baseball Club offering him managership of that team in the National League. Barrow is under contract with stood that if he can secure his release he will accept the New York offer.

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JOINT CONVENTION.

WESTING, 219 Massachusetts Ave.

It Will Be Held on First Day of the State Convention. Charles N. Elliott, chairman of the Republican county committee, returned yesterday from French Lick, where he had been resting for a week after his work incident to the primary election. He announced that in a few days he would call his executive committee together to ar-

convention will be held on the first day of the state convention.

range for a convention to nominate a joint

senator and a joint representative. The

THE PENALTY OF GREED. Many American Coronation Visitors Frightened Away.

London Mail. Something has gone wrong with the transatlantic coronation traffic. The steamship companies, eager to recoup themselves from the disastrous effects of last year's "slump" in American visitors, have long looked forward to the rush which they confidently expected would begin about the middle of March, and to the continued crowding and crushing of our American cousins across the ocean until within a day or two of the coronation. But all calculations have been set at

naught by the disinclination of would-be

travellers to book their passage. Two years

ago, when the exhibition was on in Paris,

all the steamship lines were booked up to

the last berth at the beginning of spring. This year the booking is not better than at any other normal season and the steamship companies have endless rows of cabins to "I think the cause of it is," said a steamship agent yesterday, "that Americans have become frightened at the reports of immense sums that were to be charged for bedrooms and for windows from which to view the procession. The statements of to America, and people of moderate means have therefore made up their minds not to come here. It is another case of too much greediness killing trade. If people had been content to keep prices at their

look forward to a rather depressing season -that is, so far as the Americans are concerned. The agent had nothing to say, however, in the question of steamship companies raising their transatlantic rates, which, Sharkey at London in June, taking the | no doubt, has contributed towards causing

abstentions

normal figures they would not now have to

West End tradesmen are not at all pleased at the idea of spreading the news that everything in London will be dearer than usual during the summer. In Bond street this policy of frightening people away is condemned with much emphasis. "Things are bad enough as it is," said a proprietor of a large jewelry house, "and we do not care particularly to see agents not only in the United States but in France and Germany as well, that many people who would otherwise have come to

London to view the coronation processions have made up their minds to stay away

because of the incessant reports that are

going about that prices in hotels, shops,

theaters, restaurants and even railways

are to be raised, and in many cases doubled.

Every visitor thus frightened away means

Hard Luck for a Poor Man.

a loss of a good many pounds to British trade. And I do not think we can afford it at this juncture."

New York Journal. John Corsick arrived at Shamokin, Pa., last night footsore. He arrived in New York a few days ago from Austria, and bought a ticket for Shamokin. He went into a saloon and later could not find his ticket. He did not have enough money to buy another ticket and he resolved to walk. Corsick left New York last Friday evening, following the railroad by the way of Philadelphia. At Reading he walked ten miles out of his course. When he reached Shamokin he removed his hat, and the missing railroad ticket fell from its band.

Chicago Tribune.

The young pig could reach the swill well enough by putting its snout over the side of the trough, but it was not satisfied with that. It proceeded to get all four of its feet in the trough. But the mother of the pigs thrust the greedy young monopolists to one side.

Rebuked.

of human beings!"